

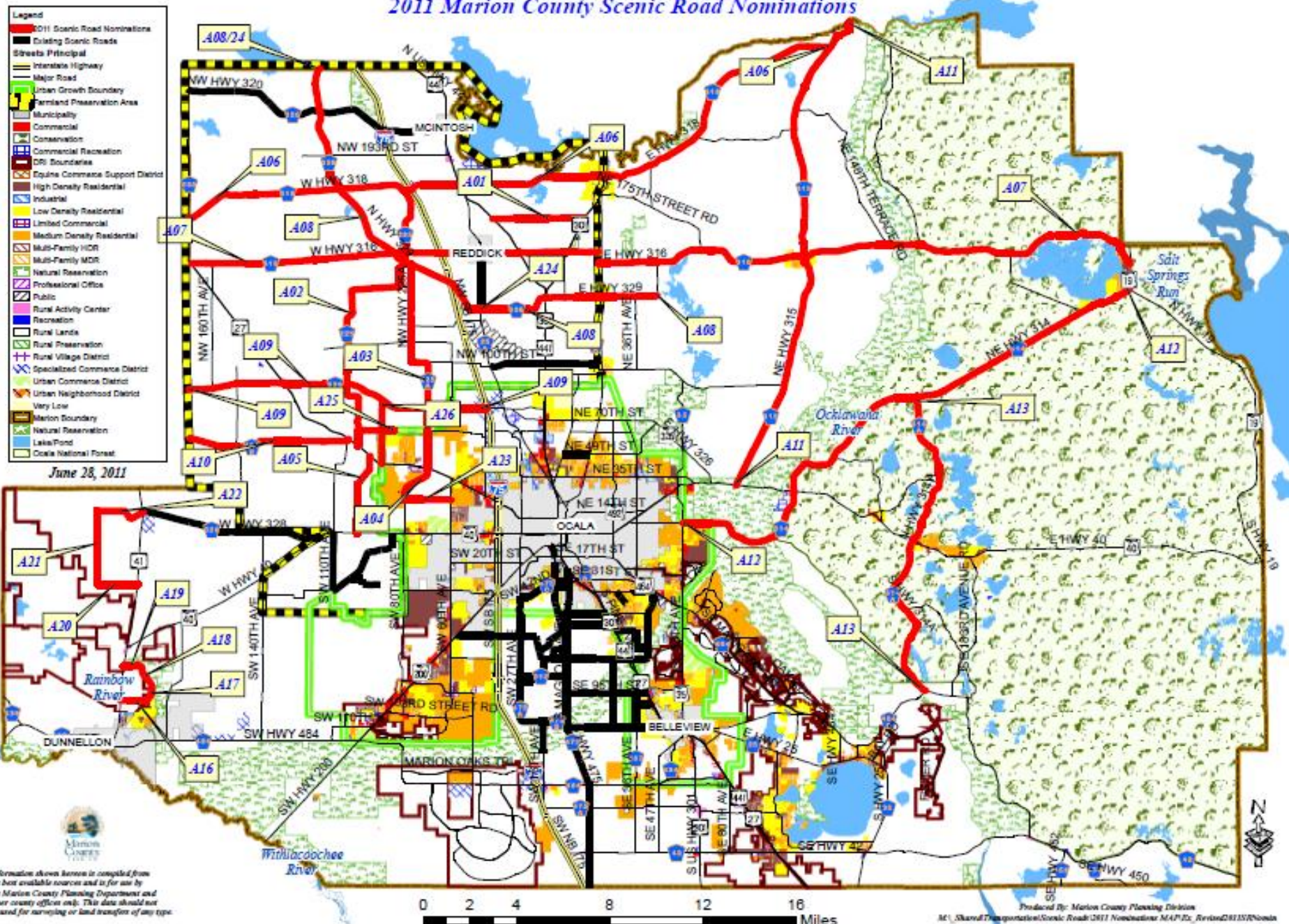
Scenic Roads Workshop July 6th, 2011

Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Agenda

1. Scenic Roads Advisory Committee recommendations
2. Staff recommendations
3. Scenic Roads Ordinance
4. Evaluation criteria
5. Scenic Roads Master Plan
6. Questions and comments
7. Adjournment

2011 Marion County Scenic Road Nominations



Scenic Roads Advisory Committee Recommendations

SRAC Members Nomination Evaluation: Analysis/Recommendation

| Case No. | Roadway | From | To | SRAC RECOMMENDATION |
|-----------------|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| SR2011-A01 | NW/NE 165 th Street | N US Highway 441 | N US Highway 301 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A02 | NW Highway 225 (CR-225) | W Highway 318 | N US Highway 27 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A03 | NW Highway 225A (CR-225A) | W Highway 329 | N US Highway 27 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A04 | NW 70 th Ave Rd (CR-225A) | N US Highway 27 | NW 21 st Street | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A05 | NW 100 th Avenue/NW 95 th Avenue Rd | N US Highway 27 | W Highway 40 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A06 | W/E Highway 318 (CR-318) | NW Highway 335 | NE Highway 315 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A07 | W/E Highway 316 (CR-316) | N US Highway 27 | N Highway 19 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A08 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NE 47 th Ave | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A09 | W Highway 326 (CR-326) | Levy County Line | NW NB/SB I-75 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A10 | NW Highway 464B (CR-464B) | Levy County Line | N US Highway 27 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A11 | NE Highway 315 (CR-315) | Putnam County Line | E Highway 40 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A12 | NE 7 th Street/ NE/SE Highway 314 (CR-314) | NE 58 th Ave | N Highway 19 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A13 | N/S Highway 314A (CR-314A) | NE Highway 314 | SE Highway 464C | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A14 | SE Sunset Harbor Rd | S US Highway 441 | S Highway 25 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A15 | SE Highway 42 (CR-42) | S Highway 25 | Lake County Line | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A16 | SW 99 th PL | S US Highway 41 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A17 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 99 th Pl | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A18 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | SW 190 th Ave Rd | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A19 | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | S US Highway 41 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A20 | SW 36 th St | SW 210 th Ave | S US HWY 41 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A21 | NW/SW 210 th Ave | NW 13 th St | SW 36 th St | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A22 | NW 13 th St | NW 210 th Ave | N US HWY 41 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A23* | NW 21 st St | NW 80 th Ave | NW 60 th Ave | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A24 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NW Gainesville Rd. | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A25* | NW 63 rd St | NW Highway 225 | 1.5 miles to the east(terminus) | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-A26* | NW 90 th Ave | W Highway 326 | N US Highway 27 | APPROVAL |
| SR2011-R01* | SW 16 th Ave (CR-475A) | SW Highway 484 | 0.25 miles north of SW 123rd PL | DENIAL |
| SR2011-R02 | SW 27th Ave/SW 16 th Ave/SW/SE 145 th St (CR-475A) | SW 87th PL (CR-312) | S Highway 475 | DENIAL |

Staff Recommendations

Applications for Scenic Road Designation

| Case No. | Roadway | From | To | STAFF EVALUATION: SCORE | STAFF RECOMMENDATION |
|-------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| SR2011-A01 | NW/NE 165 th Street | N US Highway 441 | N US Highway 301 | 73 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A02 | NW Highway 225 (CR-225) | W Highway 318 | N US Highway 27 | 74 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A03 | NW Highway 225A (CR-225A) | W Highway 329 | N US Highway 27 | 71 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A04 | NW 70 th Ave Rd (CR-225A) | N US Highway 27 | NW 21 st Street | 54 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A05 | NW 100 th Avenue/NW 95 th Avenue Rd | N US Highway 27 | W Highway 40 | 70 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A06 | W/E Highway 318 (CR-318) | NW Highway 335 | NE Highway 315 | 61 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A07 | W/E Highway 316 (CR-316) | N US Highway 27 | N Highway 19 | 68 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A08 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NE 47 th Ave | 69 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A09 | W Highway 326 (CR-326) | Levy County Line | NW NB/SB I-75 | 56 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A10 | NW Highway 464B (CR-464B) | Levy County Line | N US Highway 27 | 70 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A11 | NE Highway 315 (CR-315) | Putnam County Line | E Highway 40 | 69 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A12 | NE 7 th Street/ NE/SE Highway 314 (CR-314) | NE 58 th Ave | N Highway 19 | 72 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A13 | N/S Highway 314A (CR-314A) | NE Highway 314 | SE Highway 464C | 77 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A16 | SW 99 th PL | S US Highway 41 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | 65 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A17 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 99 th Pl | 67 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A18 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | SW 190 th Ave Rd | 68 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A19 | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | S US Highway 41 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | 68 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A20 | SW 36 th St | SW 210 th Ave | S US HWY 41 | 77 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A21 | NW/SW 210 th Ave | NW 13 th St | SW 36 th St | 80 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A22 | NW 13 th St | NW 210 th Ave | N US HWY 41 | 76 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A23* | NW 21 st St | NW 80 th Ave | NW 60 th Ave | 64 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A24 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NW Gainesville Rd. | 71 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A25* | NW 63 rd St | NW Highway 225 | 1.5 miles to the east(terminus) | 73 | DENIAL |
| SR2011-A26* | NW 90 th Ave | W Highway 326 | N US Highway 27 | 72 | DENIAL |

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2011 SCENIC ROAD NOMINATIONS: LEVEL OF SERVICE ANALYSIS

| Case No. | Roadway | From | To | Level of Service Standard | Level of Service: Capacity | 2010 AADT | 2010 V/C Ratio | 2010 LOS |
|------------|---|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|----------------|----------|
| SR2011-A01 | NW/NE 165 th Street | N US Highway 441 | N US Highway 301 | D | 13,800 | 795 | 5.76% | B |
| SR2011-A02 | NW Highway 225 (CR-225) | W Highway 318 | N US Highway 27 | B | 4,500 | 862 | 19.16% | B |
| SR2011-A03 | NW Highway 225A (CR-225A) | W Highway 329 | W Highway 326 | C | 8,100 | 2,134 | 26.35% | B |
| | | W Highway 326 | N US Highway 27 | D | 14,850 | 5,236 | 35.26% | C |
| SR2011-A04 | NW 70 th Ave Rd (CR-225A) | N US Highway 27 | NW 21 st Street | D | 14,850 | 3,989 | 26.86% | B |
| SR2011-A05 | NW 100 th Avenue/NW 95 th Avenue Rd | N US Highway 27 | W Highway 40 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A06 | W/E Highway 318 (CR-318) | NW Highway 335 | N US Highway 441 | B | 4,500 | 3,190 | 70.89% | B |
| | | N US Highway 441 | N US Highway 301 | C | 8,100 | 3,255 | 40.19% | B |
| | | N US Highway 301 | NE Highway 315 | D | 13,800 | N/C | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A07 | W/E Highway 316 (CR-316) | Levy County Line | I-75 | B | 4,500 | 954 | 21.20% | B |
| | | I-75 | NE Jacksonville Rd. | C | 8,100 | 890 | 10.99% | B |
| | | NE Jacksonville Rd. | NE Highway 315 | D | 13,800 | 2,399 | 17.38% | B |
| | | NE Highway 315 | N Highway 19 | D | 13,800 | 2,499 | 18.11% | B |
| SR2011-A08 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NW Highway 320 | B | 4,500 | 1,198 | 26.62% | B |
| | | NW Highway 320 | W Highway 316 | B | 4,500 | 1,862 | 41.38% | B |
| | | W Highway 316 | N US Highway 441 | C | 8,100 | 1,812 | 22.37% | B |
| | | N US Highway 441 | NE Jacksonville Rd. | C | 8,100 | 5,084 | 62.77% | C |
| | | NE Jacksonville Rd. | NE 47 th Ave | D | 13,800 | 3,775 | 27.36% | B |
| SR2011-A09 | W Highway 326 (CR-326) | Levy County Line | N US Highway 27 | C | 8,100 | 2,870 | 35.43% | B |
| | | N US Highway 27 | NW Highway 225A | C | 8,100 | 2,259 | 27.89% | B |
| | | NW Highway 225A | NW 44TH AVE/I-75 | D | 13,800 | 6,042 | 43.78% | C |
| SR2011-A10 | NW Highway 464B (CR-464B) | Levy County Line | N US Highway 27 | C | 8,100 | 2,306 | 28.47% | B |
| SR2011-A11 | NE Highway 315 (CR-315) | Putnam County Line | E Highway 316 | D | 13,800 | 2,931 | 21.24% | B |
| | | E Highway 316 | NE 90th St | D | 13,800 | 3,724 | 26.99% | B |
| | | NE 90th St | E Highway 40 | D | 13,800 | 3,248 | 23.54% | B |

2011 SCENIC ROAD NOMINATIONS: LEVEL OF SERVICE ANALYSIS

| | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|--------|-------|--------|-----|
| SR2011-A12 | NE 7 th Street/ NE/SE Highway 314 (CR-314) | NE 58 th Ave | E Highway 40 | D | 13,800 | 2,499 | 18.11% | B |
| | | E Highway 40 | N Highway 314A | D | 13,800 | 3,222 | 23.35% | B |
| | | N Highway 314A | N Highway 19 | D | 13,800 | 3,258 | 23.61% | B |
| SR2011-A13 | N/S Highway 314A (CR-314A) | NE Highway 314 | E Highway 40 | D | 13,800 | 1,971 | 14.28% | B |
| | | E Highway 40 | SE Highway 464C | D | 13,800 | 5,513 | 39.95% | C |
| SR2011-A16 | SW 99 th PL | S US Highway 41 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A17 | SW 190 th Ave Rd | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 99 th Pl | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A18 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | SW 190 th Ave Rd | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A19 | SW 83 rd Pl Rd | S US Highway 41 | SW 189 th Ct Rd | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A20 | SW 36 th St | SW 210 th Ave | S US HWY 41 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A21 | NW/SW 210 th Ave | NW 13 th St | SW 36 th St | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A22 | NW 13 th St | NW 210 th Ave | N US HWY 41 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A23* | NW 21 st St | NW 80 th Ave | NW 60 th Ave | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A24 | N/W/E Highway 329 (CR-329) | Alachua County Line | NW Highway 320 | B | 4,500 | 1,198 | 26.62% | B |
| | | NW Highway 320 | W Highway 316 | B | 4,500 | 1,862 | 41.38% | B |
| | | W Highway 316 | N US Highway 441 | C | 8,100 | 1,812 | 22.37% | B |
| SR2011-A25* | NW 63 rd St | NW Highway 225 | 1.5 miles to the east(terminus) | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SR2011-A26* | NW 90 th Ave | W Highway 326 | N US Highway 27 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

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Scenic Roads Ordinance

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PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE

Roadways Vegetation Maintenance:

1. The County shall cease all roadway vegetation maintenance, with the exception of mowing, along designated County Roads, unless such maintenance is absolutely necessary to protect the health and safety of the public.
2. When roadway vegetation maintenance is necessary to protect the health and safety of the public, the County shall use measures which conserve, to the maximum extent feasible, the characteristics of the rural landscapes which this Ordinance seeks to protect.
3. Utility installation and maintenance shall be accomplished with the minimal disturbance to the roadway vegetation.

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Expansion of County Roads:

- I. The County shall not increase the number of lanes on any of the designated scenic County Roads

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Curb Cuts:

- I. All new curb cuts shall be made without removing trees in the road right-of-way or damaging the root system of trees growing at the edge of the road right-of-way, unless the property owner has no other method to access the road.

Evaluation Criteria

Table III.1 SCENIC ROADS EVALUATION CRITERIA

| SCENIC CRITERIA | POINTS | COMMENTS |
|--|--------|----------|
| Each category has 10 potential points | | |
| 1. Aesthetic Landscape View Significance | | |
| Mature tree canopy | | |
| Presence of open vistas, lakes, ponds, or other interesting features | | |
| Lack of commercial clutter, billboards, non-native vegetation, or other distractions that compromise views | | |
| 2. Conservation Significance | | |
| Protection of high water recharge, Karst sensitive and Floridian Aquifer Areas, forests, open spaces, or wildlife habitats | | |
| 3. Connections | | |
| Lead to other scenic roads, parks schools, agricultural settings, historical or recreational resources. | | |
| 4. Recreational Values | | |
| Offers appropriate areas for recreational pursuits | | |
| 5. Historical, Cultural, Forestry, Archeological or Agricultural Resource Significance | | |
| Presence of significant historical, cultural or archeological sites | | |
| Presence of significant forestry or agricultural settings | | |
| 6. Urgency of Protection | | |
| Area presently experiencing development pressure | | |
| Area anticipated to experience development pressure within 5 years | | |
| 7. Safety Considerations | | |
| Few safety hazards | | |
| Space for recreational pursuits | | |
| 8. Portion of R.O.W. not in need of restoration | | |
| 9. Constraints or conflicts | | |
| Review all road development and utility maintenance procedures | | |
| 10. Road Quality | | |

Scenic Roads Master Plan

Overview

- Goal
- Need
- Evaluation Criteria
- Designation
- Administration

Goal

- The purpose of the Marion County Scenic Roads Master Plan is to establish guidelines for the conservation and enhancement of scenic and functional qualities of selected roads that will result in positive environmental, economic and community benefits for the people of Marion County.

Purpose

- Scenic Roads meet the following crucial needs in Marion County.
 - Aesthetic/Cultural Needs
 - Economic Needs

Evaluation Criteria

- The Scenic Roads Advisory Committee determined that the two most important characteristics that should be considered in developing the master plan were 1) scenic criteria based on aesthetic qualities: and 2) threat of loss of scenic resources based on development pressure.

Evaluation Criteria cont.

Scenic Characteristics

- Working Landscape:
- Resource Based

Density Characteristics:

- Urban roads
- Rural roads

Designation

Designation Categories

- Scenic Routes
- Scenic Roads
- Rustic Roads

Administration

Administrative Procedures:

- Scenic Road Advisory Committee
- Nomination Criteria
- Nomination Process
- Revocation of Scenic Designation
- Maintenance and Enhancement Guidelines
- Regulations and Guidelines
- Intergovernmental Coordination
- Implementation
- Scenic Roads Awareness Program